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# John Chopin Equine Reproduction Boot Camp

June 16-23, 2018



## John Chopin

BVSc, PhD, FANZCVSc in Equine Reproduction, Registered Specialist in Equine Reproduction, John has worked at the University of Queensland, Oakey Vet Hospital, Coolmore Stud, Tamarang Stud, was Key Speaker at Bain Fallon 2010, has instructed in Australia and overseas, and has contributed to over 60 publications including original research, education modules and textbook chapters.



### Mare Reproduction

Including:

- AI – chilled and frozen
- investigating and treating problem mares
- twin reduction
- pregnancy monitoring
- managing high risk pregnancies
- foetal sexing
- embryo transfer
- manipulating the oestrous cycle
- freezing embryos.

### Stallion Reproduction

Including:

- semen collection
- internal and external repro exams
- processing chilled and frozen semen
- evaluating semen
- OH&S etc.
- and much more!

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### Testimonials

- “Best ever! Wonderful course, tutoring quality very high, constant support much appreciated!”
- “Excellent – best ever! Excellent value for money, lecturer, tutors, prac sessions, support staff, food and accommodation!”
- “Thanks for the tutorials and lectures, they were excellent and provided a good platform for vet practice.”
- “Best ever! Small groups means more hands on, not watching others. Definitely read it, hear it, see it, do it, remember it!”

**Venue: EVDS, Grafton, NSW**  
**REGISTRATIONS: \$8800 incl. GST**

#### Included:

Notes, basic shared accommodation (including the night prior and after if necessary) and ALL meals.

#### How to get there:

Participating vets can fly from Sydney into Grafton then 10 minutes in taxi. Grafton is 4 hours by bus, train or car from Brisbane.

#### What to bring:

Overalls, hat, protective work boots, sense of humour, lots of energy, any problem case studies you have and would like to discuss.



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# JOHN CHOPIN EQUINE REPRODUCTION BOOTCAMP

## 8 day Hands On Boot Camp - 8 Day Intensive Workshop

Please note that only limited seats are available and the course is strictly for vets only.

Register by **completing the form below** and send to

**Equine Veterinary AND Dental Services PO Box 95, South Grafton, NSW, 2460**

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## 2018 JUNE REGISTRATION FORM

Name

VSB Reg #

Address

Vet clinic or practice name

Email

Work phone

Mobile

Fax

**Equine reproduction experience** (please complete)

Special dietary requirements

Where did you hear about the workshop  Email

Journal

Mailout

Colleague

Venue: Boot camp will be held at EVDS, Grafton NSW

- Workshop starts at 8am Saturday.
- Workshop closes 7pm following Saturday.

Notes, basic shared accommodation ( including the night prior and after if necessary) and ALL meals are included in registration fee.

Travel: Grafton is 330 kms (4 hrs drive) south of Brisbane. Flights come from Sydney into Grafton - 10 mins cab ride to venue.

Confirmation of your seat: to avoid missing out, as courses usually fill up early, is by payment in full.

What to bring:

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**Please note:  
credit card registrations will incur  
an extra 1.5% merchant transaction fee**

**Cheque, money order, direct deposit, and credit card accepted.**

**For direct deposit: Bank: BCU South Grafton, NSW BSB: 704 328 Acct No: 218 852**  
(please notify when funds have been deposited)

Card number

Name on card

Card expiry (mm/yy) CCV

Signature

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### SCHEDULE\*

\*Guide only

#### Day 1 – Sat June 16

8:00 AM	Lect 1	Semen Collection, evaluation and handling
9.00 AM	Lect 2	Semen processing for chilled and frozen
10.00 AM	Morning Tea	
11.00 AM	Prac 1	Stallion Collection – safety, teasing, stallion prep, jump mare, dummy, AV prep, collection of semen.
1.00 PM	Lunch	
2.00 PM	Prac 2	Stallion Collection – Collection of stallions, evaluate semen, test various extenders, semen assessment, chilling and freezing techniques.
4.00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5.00 PM	Prac 3	Stallion Collection and semen processing
7.00 PM	Close	

#### Day 2 – Sun June 17

8:00 AM	Lect 3	Repro Physiology of the Mare
9.00 AM	Lect 4	Artificial Insemination protocols
10.00 AM	Morning Tea	
11.00 AM	Prac 4	Mare reproduction -Palpating and Scanning of the mares etc
1.00 PM	Lunch	
2.00 PM	Prac 5	Mare reproduction - Palpating and Scanning - AI techniques, chilled and frozen.
4.00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5.00 PM	Prac 6	Stallion Collection and semen processing
7.00 PM	Close	

#### Day 3 – Mon June 18

8:00 AM	Lect 5	Stallion examination
9.00 AM	Lect 6	Dealing with the problem mare
10.00 AM	Morning Tea	
11.00 AM	Prac 7	Mare reproduction – Lavaging mares, infusion techniques, biopsy techniques, caslicks operations, treating cysts, swabbing uterus and clitoris.
1.00 PM	Lunch	
2.00 PM	Prac 8	Stallion Collection and semen processing
4.00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5.00 PM	Prac 9	Stallion Collection and semen processing
7.00 PM	Close	

#### Day 4 – Tues June 19

8:00 AM	Lect 7	Twins and decision making
9.00 AM	Lect 8	Managing high risk pregnancy
10.00 AM	Morning Tea	
11.00 AM	Prac 10	Mare reproduction – Monitoring pregnancies and placenta assessments
1.00 PM	Lunch	
2.00 PM	Prac 11	Mare reproduction - Monitoring pregnancies and placenta assessments
4.00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5.00 PM	Prac 12	Mare reproduction – miscellaneous techniques
7.00 PM	Close	

## SCHEDULE cont.

### Day 5 – Wed June 20

8:00 AM	Lect 9	Foetal sexing
9:00 AM	Lect 10	Overview of Embryo Transfer - Principles
10:00 AM	Morning Tea	
11:00 AM	Prac 13	Mare Repro – Sexing pregnancies
1:00 PM	Lunch	
2:00 PM	Prac 14	Stallion Collection and semen processing
4:00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5:00 PM	Prac 15	Stallion Collection and semen processing
7:00 PM	Close	

### Day 6 – Thurs June 21

8:00 AM	Lect 11	Dystocia
9:00 AM	Lect 12	Periparturient Problems
10:00 AM	Morning Tea	
11:00 AM	Prac 16	Mare reproduction – scanning and palpating
1:00 PM	Lunch	
2:00 PM	Prac 17	Mare reproduction – overview of medical treatment options for problem mares
4:00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5:00 PM	Prac 18	Mare reproduction – scanning and palpating
7:00 PM	Close	

### Day 7 – Fri June 22

8:00 AM	Prac 19	Stallion Collection and semen processing
10:00 AM	Morning Tea	
11:00 AM	Prac 20	Stallion Collection and semen processing
1:00 PM	Lunch	
2:00 PM	Prac 21	Handling Embryos in the lab, inserting embryos into mares.
4:00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5:00 PM	Prac 22	Stallion Collection and semen processing
7:00 PM	Close	

### Day 8 – Sat June 23

8:00 AM	Prac 23	Mare Reproduction – flushing of the embryos and processing in lab.
10:00 AM	Morning Tea	
11:00 AM	Prac 24	Mare Reproduction – transferring the embryo/s.
1:00 PM	Lunch	
2:00 PM	Prac 25	Preparing your practice for Equine Repro this Spring
4:00 PM	Afternoon Tea	
5:00 PM	Prac 26	Preparing your practice for Equine Repro this Spring
7:00 PM	Close	